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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket Number (Opti nal) KARAGHIOSOFF		
OIPE vo	In re Application of Carmelo GIUFFRE	
APR O 1 2003 E	Application Number 09/763,173	Filed 04/30/2001
	For Method and Plant for Fabricating Drip Irrigation Pipes	
	Group Art Unit 17333	Examiner B. Musser
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) O4/08/2003 HSUTEMA1 00000035 09763173 O1 FC:2252 205.00 0P		
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X Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))		
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(\$
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))		
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I am the applicant/inventor		
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